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Preventing Violence – A Proven Community-based Approach

Are your schools and communities proactively identifying at-risk individuals? Red flags and concerning behaviors witnessed by students, parents, employees, co-workers, supervisors, managers and even community members should be shared with your threat assessment team and provide an opportunity to detect and thwart potential violence within your community.

We recently interviewed Amanda Agguire, former state senator and CEO and Founder of the Regional Center for Border Health (RCBH). Agguire helped create the Yuma County Anti-Bullying Task Force in 2008 in an effort to raise awareness regarding such a sensitive and difficult issue in rural Yuma County, Arizona.

> ***"We all need to be aware and prevent critical incidents like those that other communities have been through."***

Through the use of Awareity's TIPS prevention platform, the Community Action Group is encouraging students, parents, staff, and community members to report incidents of bullying, threats of violence, weapons, drugs/alcohol, vandalism, sexting, suicide and other risks. Proper personnel from the school district selected, as well as counselors from RCBH and appropriate city/county law enforcement, are instantly notified. All prevention efforts and actions taken are documented as team members work together to assess the situation and formulate an effective intervention plan.

We are extremely impressed by Amanda's leadership and drive to bring the community together to prevent violence. **To listen to the interview click here**.

To learn more about Awareity's proven community-based prevention platform, **click here to schedule your online demonstration today.**

Or to review our archived webinar discussing community-based threat assessment strategies and empowering your community to prevent, click here.

Thank you!

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